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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

: Doron HANDELMAN

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For

: OPTICAL PACKET SWITCHING APPARATUS

AND METHODS

Group Art Unit: 2633 Examiner: Nathan M. Curs

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

The following is in response to the outstanding Official Action mailed June 28, 2005 which includes a restriction requirement.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicant hereby elects Group I directed to claims 1-14, 26-30 and 33, without traverse.

The election of Group I directed to claims 1 - 14, 26 - 30 and 33 is deemed to be fully responsive to the outstanding Official Action.

Favorable consideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Doron Handelman

Date: July 5, 2005